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PATENT APPLICATION

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Application of : Wolfgang SCHMID, Uwe RÜHRINGER and
Serial no. : Gerold KLOOS
For : METHOD FOR DETERMINING A ROTATION
SPEED AND A ROTATION DIRECTION OF A
COMPONENT
Docket : ZAHFRI P589US

MAL STOP PATENT APPLICATION
The Commissioner for Patents
U.S. Patent & Trademark Office
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PRELIMINARY AMENDMENT

Dear Sir:

By way of preliminary amendment, please amend the above identified application as set forth below.

In the Drawings:

Please amend Figs. 6-9 of the drawings presently on file per the attached Submission. Also attached are new formal drawings including the requested amendments.

In the Specification:

Please amend paragraphs 002, 003, 004, 005, 013, 014, 018, 019, 021, 029, 030 and page 16, Reference numerals of the specification as follows in which the specification additions are shown by underlining and the specification deletions are shown by strikeout. Please enter the replacement specification paragraphs into the record of this case.

In the Claims:

Please cancel claims 1-14, without prejudice or disclaimer of the subject matter therein, in favor of new claims 15-29 as follows.